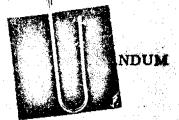
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MEMORANDUM FOR:

SECRETARY KISSINGER

FROM:

ROBERT B. OAKLEY

SUBJECT:

Your Meeting with Gromyko:

Middle East

At my request, the CIA has prepared the attached background study on Gromyko's Approach to the Middle East at Vienna. It is, in my judgment, a good paper and I have sent a copy to Hal Saunders to include as a Tab to the paper we are doing tor your meeting with Gromyko.

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